IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

To Office Iowa Highway Research Board Date January 30, 2003

Attention Regular and Alternate Members Ref. No. 080.31

From Mark Dunn

Office Materials - Research

Subject Board Meeting on January 31, 2003

The January meeting of the Iowa Highway Research Board will be held on Friday, January 31, 2003 at 9:00 A.M. in the Large Materials Conference Room, at the Iowa Department of Transportation, central complex in Ames, Iowa.

AGENDA

- 1. Agenda review/modification.
- 2. Minutes from the December 12, 2002 meeting.
- 3. County Engineers' comments on attending the Annual TRB Conference. (15 minutes)
- 4. Review of Proposals from 2nd Solicitation for FY 02-03. (15 minutes)
 - Development of Winter Performance Measures for Highway Winter Maintenance Operations
- 5. Final Report TR-436, "Retrofit Methods for Distortion Cracking Problems in Plate Girder Bridges," Terry J. Wipf, Iowa State University. (Funding: \$158,028 75% Primary, 20% Secondary, and 5% Street) (15 minutes)
- 6. Problem Statement, "Performance Evaluation of Steel Bridges: Phase II," Terry J. Wipf, Iowa State University. (Proposed funding: \$281,407 75% Primary, 20% Secondary, and 5% Street) (15 minutes)
- 7. Discussion on the Missouri NRCS program and the IHRB solicited proposal, "A Computer Program for On-Road Impoundment Structure Design." (5 minutes) (to be e-mailed)
- 8. Review of Drainage RFP for 2nd Solicitation FY 02-03. (10 minutes) (to be e-mailed)
- 9. Discussion on changes in required format for proposals. (15 minutes)
- 10. Update on information from the 511 project relating to the research topics of Transportation Information Systems for Road System Managers/Users. (15 minutes)
- 11. New business.
- 12. Adjourn.

Date of the following meeting is FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2003 AT 9:00 A.M., in the LARGE MATERIALS CONFERENCE ROOM at the IOWA DOT, central complex in Ames, IA.

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